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STATE HOUSE, BOSTON,

REPORT OF EXPENSES

Of the Town of Chatham, for the year ending January 15, 1861.

Expenses in the Alms House.

Keeper's Wages to January 10, 1861,	\$200,00
14 barrels Flour,	104,50
53 bushels Corn,	46,60
81 1-2 gallons Molasses,	29,11
5 lbs. Tobacco, \$1,37; 2 lbs. Saleratus, .16,	1,53
3 galls. Lamp Oil \$2,44; 15 lbs. Nails, .75,	3,19
43 lbs. Dried Apples, \$4,23; 4 lbs. Coffee, .56,	4,79
1 3-4 qtls. Codfish, \$6,89; 1 bush. Beans, \$2,00,	8,89
32 lbs. Butter, \$8,14; Whitewash Brush, .55,	8,69
1 bbl Beef, \$12,00; 1 bbl. Pork, \$19,25,	31,25
Carting .67; Paint, .52,	1,19
700 Herrings,	6,20
Ginger and Pepper,	,36
37 lbs. Sugar, \$3,79; 101 lbs. Rice \$5,19,	8,98
Repairs of buildings, &c.,	11,49
Shovel, and Flatfish Iron,	1,37
Scythe and 2 Rifles, \$1,26; Grass Seed, \$4,25,	5,51
72 lbs. Soap, \$4,14; 1-2 bbl. Soft Soap, 1,47,	5,61
1-2 chest Tea, \$13,86; 3 lbs. Tea, \$1,50,	15,36
Freight, \$3,35; Basket .40,	3,75
6 lbs. Candles, .96; Sweet Potatoes, .67,	1,63
Apples, \$2,90, and Soda, .16,	3,06
Clothing and Shoes, \$8,37; Broom and Pail, .50,	8,87
7 cords Wood,	34,00
Posts and Rails, \$18,50; Painting, \$7,18	25,68
Coffin \$9,00; Zinc and Tin Ware, \$3,16,	12,16

\$583,76

Expenses of Poor in Town not in Alms House.

Joseph Eldredge,	26,98
Ruth Manows,	19,50
Widow Gorham Eldredge,	3,00
Widows Doane and Lewis,	34,38
Patience Crowell,	14,50
Jane Eldredge,	34,20
Susan Hamilton,	61,43
Seth Harding,	20,14
William Bassel,	21,05
Elizabeth Hawes,	15,00
Rebecca Hamilton,	12,82
Abigail Hopkins,	104,00
Emeline Doane,	6,50
Deborah and Joshua Hammond,	15,00
George Spencer,	42,22
Seth Harding board at Hospital,	92,20
Laban Wixon " "	51,16
Cynthia Long,	10,55
Joseph Knapp,	3,25

587,88

Expenses of Poor out of Town.

Widow G. Harding, Chelsea,	\$36,00
Moses Hamilton, Nantucket,	68,90
Ebenezer Gould, Nantucket,	7,99
Dorcas C. Eldredge, Pawtucket,	104,00
Samuel W. Doane, Brewster,	35,00
George W. Young, Barnstable,	17,19
Lewis Young, "	21,00
Samuel Clark, "	15,00
Thomas Smith, Boston,	7,50
Henry Eldredge, Falmouth,	43,23
Anna Price, New Bedford,	6,47
Charlotte Chapman, Yarmouth,	52,31
Widow Moses Young, Harwich,	3,75

418,34

Schools.

Teachers' Wages,	\$2808,39
Repairs on Buildings,	150,77
School Books,	215,31
Cleaning and taking care of Buildings,	120,10
Wood and Coal,	176,95
Crayons,	8,00
Printing,	31,42
Stationery,	11,93
Warren Hamilton for labor in 1858,	6,25

3529,12

Amount brought forward,

\$5119,10

Roads and Bridges.

Grading and hardening County Road, &c.,	\$1713,40
Surveyors' bills for Clearing Snow,	90,37
" " " Labor and Repairs,	128,15
Lumber and Labor for Railing and Bridges,	20,86
Bricks for Drains,	9,77

1962,55

Miscellaneous Expenses.

Abatement of Taxes,	\$222,00
Remittance of Taxes,	91,33
Joshua Nickerson for Services, 1859,	4,92
Josiah Hardy, Jr., " " "	6,75
G. H. Eldredge, driving hearse,	44,00
Charles F. Young, Indentures,	30,00
F. W. Crocker, for Indictment,	14,33
Interest to Bank of Cape Cod,	78,68
Freeman Eldredge, for Fence,	1,00
E. W. Carpenter, Medical Attendance to Poor,	30,00
Blank Books and Stationery,	10,10
Advertising Road Notices,	23,50
Printing Town Reports,	15,00
Burning Fluid, for Town House,	,75
Killing Dogs,	1,00
Postage and Express matter,	4,03
Cost of new addition to Alms House,	102,81
Expense of taking State Valuation,	78,00
J. Hardy, Jr., for Poor,	10,00

768,20

Fees of Town Officers.

Joshua Nickerson, for Services,	49,00
Josiah Hardy, Jr., " " "	49,88
Ephraim A. Taylor, " " "	45,50
Services of School House Committee,	3,00
David Smith, services as School Committee,	50,00
Geo. Godfrey, " " "	65,00
N. P. Brownell, " " "	65,00
Commissioners for Collecting Taxes,	60,00
Josiah Mayo, services as Clerk and Treasurer,	50,00
Samuel H. Young, Constable Fees,	32,00

469,38

Total Amount,

\$8319,23

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State of Treasury.

Balance in favor of the Town last year,	\$5504,32
Amount of Assessment for 1860,	12277,96
Commonwealth School Fund,	127,30
Dog Licenses,	48,00
Received for sale of School Books,	182,38
" " Clam Permits,	25,50
" " Hospital Expense,	54,00
" " Error in orders, 1858,	27,00
" " Cash hired by Treas'r,	650,00
" " Sale of Stove,	3,00

\$18899,46

Paid in Town Orders,	\$8872,46
County and State Tax,	1057,55
Paid Bank of Cape Cod,	2200,00
Paid Interest at Bank,	67,44
Paid Town Bonds and interest,	2136,00
Due on Tax Bills of 1860,	4527,79

18861,24

Cash in Treasury,

38,22

\$18899,46

Town owes for Town Bonds,	5800,00
" " Triton Insurance Co.,	1103,90
" " Joshua Nickerson,	81,80
" " Money hired by Treasurer,	65,000

\$7635,70

JOSHUA NICKERSON,
JOSIAH HARDY, JR.,
EPH'M A. TAYLOR,

Selectmen
of
Chatham.